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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Application No.

10/606,137

Applicant(s)

David Vincent Zyzak, et al.

Filed

June 25, 2003

Title

METHOD FOR REDUCING ACRYLAMIDE IN FOODS HAVING REDUCED LEVELS OF ACRYLAMIDE, AND

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1761

Examiner

K. D. Hendricks

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Docket No.

9043MXL

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- [] No additional fees (claims fees or extension fees) are known to be required.
- [X] The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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FIRST PRES	ENTATION OF MULTI	+ \$300 =	\$0			
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- 3. [X] The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action dated June 30, 2004 in the above-identified application to preserve pendency of said application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$110.00 for a one-month extension of time.
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FEE TRANSMITTAL	Complete if Known		
for FY 2005	Application Number	10/606,137	
Patent fees are subject to annual revision.	Confirmation Number	3971	
OIPE	Filing Date	June 25, 2003	
(%)	First Named Inventor	David Vincent Zyzak	
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1. [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees	3. ADDITIONAL FEES			
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additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application to:	1051 130 Surcharge-late filing fee or oath			
Deposit Account Number: 16-2480	1052 50 Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
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	1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
	1804 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to			
	Examiner's action []			
FEE CALCULATION	1805 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after			
	Examiner's action []			
1. BASIC FILING FEE - Large Entity	1251 110 Extension for reply within 1 <sup>st</sup> month [X]			
	1252 430 Extension for reply within 2 <sup>nd</sup> month			
Code (\$) Fee Description Fee Paid	1253 980 Extension for reply within 3 <sup>rd</sup> month []			
1001 790 Utility filing fee []	1254 1,530 Extension for reply within 4 <sup>th</sup> month			
1002 350 Design filing fee []	1255 2,080 Extension for reply within 5 <sup>th</sup> month			
1004 790 Reissue filing fee []	1401 340 Notice of Appeal			
1005 160 Provisional filing fee []	1402 340 Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
	1403 300 Request for oral hearing			
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)[0]	1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
	1452 110 Petition to revive - unavoidable []			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE – Large Entity	1453 1,370 Petition to revive - unintentional			
P. C. Professor	1501 1,370 Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
Extra Fee from Fee Claims Below Paid	1502 490 Design issue fee [] 1460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner []			
Total Claims [] - 20** = [] x [] = []	1460       130       Petitions to the Commissioner       []         1807       50       Processing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(q)       []			
Independent Claims [] - 3**= [] x [] =[]	1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Statement []			
Multiple Dependent [] = []	1809 790 Filing a submission after final rejection			
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Code (\$) Fee Description	examined (37 CFR §1.129(b)			
1202 18 Claims in excess of 20	1801 790 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
1201 88 Independent claims in excess of 3	1802 900 Request for expedited examination			
	of a design application			
1203 300 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1454 1370 Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for []			
1204 88 **Reissue independent claims over original patent	priority under 35 U.S.C. 119, 120, 121, or 365 (a) or (c)			
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